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## Take typhoon readiness measures

**by Cpl. Ryan O'Hare** Torii Teller Staff

Typhoon season has approached, and station residents can take safety precautions in case of a natural disaster.

Before a typhoon hits, the American Red Cross and Family Housing offices can offer assistance and information to help residents weather the storm.

"We offer brochures and classes that can help residents prepare for a natural disaster," said Cynthia Childers, American Red Cross field office coordinator. "It is important that people know ahead of time how to prepare for the worst."

The safety brochures give information such as preparing a survival kit, non-perishable foods, sufficient water supply, and emergency tools.

The Red Cross also offers cardiopulmonary rescusitation certification and basic first aid, both of which are strongly suggested by Red Cross staff.

"It's very important that people know how to give first aid," said Childers. "If a disaster strikes and you are prepared, you can save the

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Last year, Typhoon Bart's high winds and heavy rain caused an estimated \$1 million worth of damage to the air station.

### Putting hazardous waste in its proper place

**by Melissa Hunter** Red Cross Volunteer

Station dumpsters are intended for combustibles and non-combustibles, but hazardous materials continue to show up.

Improper disposal of household chemicals can cause water pollution as well as generate toxic fumes, according to Environmental Division personnel.

"Chemicals left in dumpsters can cause environmental problems, but they are mainly a danger for children who might find it," said Mike Farkas, hazardous waste manager.

The Hazardous Minimization Center here helps reduce hazardous waste and save money.

"Needed chemicals can be checked out and

reusable portions can be returned for others to use," said Chief Petty Officer Robert Bugawan, HAZMIN Center division chief.

"It's a win-win situation," said Farkas. "You can check out a can of paint, and what's left over can be returned instead of becoming dangerous waste."

Household materials can be turned in to the center and checked out by anyone in the community. However, only authorized personnel can check out other hazardous materials. Vehicle oils and other fuels should be turned into the Auto Hobby Shop, said Bugawan.

Residents should not mix any chemicals into one container for turn-in, and labels should be left on containers for proper identification.

For additional information concerning waste disposal call the HAZMIN Center at 253-3706.



photo by Melissa Hunter

Some receptacles may contain hazardous waste when they are not disposed of properly.



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## Torii Teller Who are you calling momma's boy?

by Sgt. Michael Wiener Torii Teller Staff

Most guys credit their toughness to hardships, barroom brawls and other overly exaggerated truths. Not me.

I owe my cold-hearted, stiff upper lip, hard-asnails character all to Mom. For some reason, my mother never had much sympathy for me when I was seriously injured. She planted the "suck it up and march" seed in me long before I joined the Marine Corps.

At the tender age of 13, I went to a friend's

birthday party. There were about 10 other hooligans at the shindig, and soon our mischievous minds were at work.

> To make a long story short, we ended up being chased through a cornfield by a psychotic neighbor in his 4x4 Bronco. Lucky for us, the neighbor's driving was as bad as

> > DEAR MOM, I HAVE GOOD NEWS **AND BAD NEWS** THE GOOD NEWS IS ... I'M FINE!, THE BAD NEWS IS ... .. I HAVE A "NEW

his idea to run us all down – everyone escaped unscathed, except for one poor youngster - me.

During the chase, I managed to run into a barbed-wire fence. I saw it just before we met and was fortunate to turn my back into it instead of taking it head on. The encounter left me with a 14-inch gash across my back.

To add insult to injury, I tripped over a fallen barbed-wire fence as I ran back to my friend's house. Not only was my shirt a bloody mess, but my new boat shoes were soaking up blood as well. The scar count was on the rise.

Because of the adrenaline. I didn't even realize I was bleeding like a hemophiliac. I walked up to my friend's house leaving behind a trail of red

Almost everyone had made it out of the "killing fields." The psychotic driver was talking with my friend's mother and the sheriff. When she saw me walk up, her jaw hit the driveway.

Within minutes, my fellow instigators surrounded me, seemingly impressed by the gaping wounds and bloody mess. My friend's mom wasn't so impressed – she was having other thoughts.

I could see the fear in her eyes as she drove me home, trying to figure out how she was going to explain to Mom what had happened to her little boy.

"Don't worry. Things like this happen to me all the time," I said, trying to comfort her. It didn't help much.

When I walked into my home, closely followed by my friend's mom, my loving, caring, kind-

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### G-8 press gets a look at real Marine Corps

by Gunnery Sgt. M.A. Zeid **USMC** Reserves

OKINAWA, Japan — Thousands of media representatives came here for the G-8 Summit July 21-23. During their visit, almost 200 of them took advantage of a special, week-long media event July 17-22 that provided special tours at Camp Schwab and at Marine Corps Air Station Futenma to find out more about the Marine Corps and to meet some of the Marines stationed here.

The tours began with a presentation by Col. David P. Rann, assistant Chief of Staff for Marine Corps Bases Japan. In the briefing, Rann explained the importance of U.S. forces on Okinawa and the U.S.-Japan Security Treaty. He pointed out how these forces brought security and stability to Asia, since the III Marine Expeditionary Force is the only permanently forward deployed ground force in the area, as well as the Marine Corps.

Rann highlighted Okinawa's strategic position. "If the Okinawa Marines and their equipment were



photo by Gunnery Sgt. M.A. Zeid

Corporal Jason B. Carnahan, 1st Stinger Battery, Marine Air Control Group-18, shows Yasuyoshi Chiba from the Asahi Newspaper how the Stinger Weapons System works.

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## GSA eases shopping with on-line catalog

by Sgt. Michael Wiener Torii Teller Staff

General Services Administration Mart recently made purchasing office supplies more convenient with an on-line catalog.

Located at www.pacificstores. gsa.gov, the new e-catalog allows users to shop online for the latest office supplies, machines, cleaning products, tools, hardware, safety gear and food service equipment offered at stateside prices, according

to a news release.

"The on-line catalog is just another way for our customers to get the materials they need from GSA Mart," said Chief Petty Officer Gerardo Magallanes, storage branch chief petty officer in charge. "Going on-line gives purchasers access to items that we don't carry here in Iwakuni. It's like accessing the main GSA warehouse."

When purchasing items, customers can decide if they want it shipped to a Fleet Post Office/Area Pacific address or added to their shopping list for store pick-up.

"If I don't have time to go over to GSA, I can make the order and purchase here in the office," said Sgt. Tony Forbes, adjutant clerk. "Then when I have the time, I can go over and pick it up.'

Payment for supplies is also convenient using the e-catalog, according to Magallanes. Purchasers can use their Department of Defense Activity Address Code funds or the GSA SmartPay card.

Part of the on-line convenience is knowing right away whether or

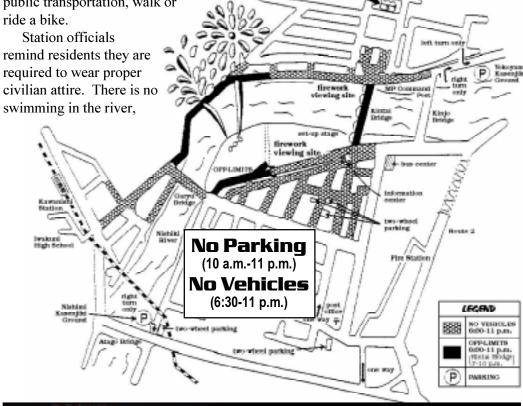
not an item is in stock. Customers can access Iwakuni's GSA Mart at www.pacificrim.gsa.gov/fss/stores/ default.asp. The GSA Mart in Iwakuni carries about 1,400-line items. The stock is based on demand, according to Magallanes.

"We receive shipments from the states twice each month," he said. "If an item is not available, it can be shipped from a GSA supply center. Buyers can fill out the paperwork in the store here and have items shipped from other stores in Japan or Hawaii."

### Thirty-third Annual Nishiki River Water Festival traffic advisory

Due to the many activities scheduled during the 33rd Annual Nishiki River Water Festival, Saturday, traffic will be restricted in the Kintai area from 10 a.m. to 11 p.m. Since there will be a large number of vehicles in the area, station residents are encouraged to use public transportation, walk or ride a bike.

and no personal use of fireworks is permitted during the festival. Boating, canoeing, and camping are also prohibited during the festival.





#### 7:7:40 p.m.

"Miss Iwakuni" **Beauty Pageant (stage** under Kintai Bridge)

#### 7:40-8 p.m.

Japanese Drum performance (stage under Kintai Bridge)

#### 8-9:30 p.m.

Fireworks (Kintai Bridge area)

## News Briefs

#### Hiroshima Advisory

Service members and their families are reminded that large activities will be taking place during the week in conjunction with the anniversary of the atomic bombing in Hiroshima and Nagasaki Sunday through Aug. 11.

Visiting these historic sites is not recommended during this time. If travel to these areas is necessary, service members should avoid confrontations with protestors or political groups. Visitors should be cautious when giving money to groups claiming to support bombing victims.

#### **Bicycle Parking**

Iwakuni residents are reminded to park their bicyles in the designated areas in Iwakuni and local towns. Bicycles and mopeds should not be parked on braile sidewalks as they are the only guide for the blind. Bicycles left for more than five hours in an undesignated location will be removed by Iwakuni City employees.

#### **SOFA Classes**

Due to the increased number of inbound personnel, the Status of Forces Agreement Driver's Class will be held twice a week until further notice. The classes will be every Wednesday at 1 p.m. and every Saturday at 9 a.m. in the Provost Marshals Office classroom.

#### AFN Moving

The American Forces Network will be moving to a new facility beginning Aug. 14. Due to the move, there will be some modified television and radio programming until the middle of October. Listen to AFN for more information on program modifications.

#### Trash Segregation

Station residents are reminded to separate combustible and noncombustible trash items for pick-up.

## Adding color to air station

by Cpl. Richard Barker Torii Teller Staff

Marine Corps Community Services Aquatics Director Sean KimHan held an art contest Feb. 1 to March 31 in order to determine who would paint the walls of the indoor "kiddy pool."

"I was hoping a lot of young children would submit artwork,' said KimHan. "My plan was to have the contest yearly so that starting with the year 2000 we could line paintings along the wall through time."

When March 31 rolled around KimHan realized his plan wasn't going to work the way he hoped.

"The deadline came, and only two people had submitted art. I knew I couldn't do the contest yearly with such a low turnout."

Although only two paintings came in, KimHan feels the contest was not held in vain.

"One of the paintings was amazing. It reminded me of my home in Hawaii. The painting looked so well that I asked the artist to paint the whole wall."

The artist, Kelly Mattes, was

more than happy to do just that. "I'm an artist, that's what I do for a living," said Mattes. "I have done a couple murals before, they're fun to do."

Mattes said he got the idea for the Mural after taking a picture at the zoo

"I took a picture of my wife and child standing in front of an elephant," said Mattes. "I stood way back and cropped the picture in tight so all that could be seen behind my family was a big elephant face."

"I wanted to create the same effect in the mural, so I added a big whale into the background among little dolphins," he said.

Because he enjoys painting so much, Mattes said he wouldn't mind coloring the air station with a few more murals.

"I would like to paint some murals of safari animals like hippos or lions," he said.

KimHan says the mural helps make the air station a better place to live.

"We want to promote family unity in a place that is relaxing and stress free; the beautiful mural aids in doing that," KimHan said.



Kelly Mattes' mural can be seen at the childrens "kiddie pool" at the Main Gym, where it is on display for the children to look at while they swim.

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hearted mother exclaimed, "Oh no. What did you do now?"

As I recounted the tale of terror and showed her my near-fatal wound, she laughed.

Let me say it again – she laughed. She told my friend's mom not to worry, and that indeed, these things happened to me all the time.

When I asked about stitches, she assured me the laceration would heal without scarring. Last time I checked, however, there is still a large scar running across my back. Apparently, I had already made my trip to the emergency room that week

Abrasions, lacerations and contusions continued throughout my school years. I was such a regular in the emergency room, the staff bought me a customized gurney. Mom? She never shed a tear on my behalf.

I've never berated my mother's no-tears attitude. In fact, it has really helped me in recent years. From terrifying drill instructors, to blood-thirsty platoon sergeants, to countless miles of hiking, I've always sucked it up.

I am one of the toughest Marines in the Corps, and I owe it all to Mom.

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based in the United States," he explained, "more than 5,000 aircraft flights would be required to move them to the Pacific Theater."

Rann also explained how hard the Marine Corps works on being good neighbors, as well as allies. He explained the programs designed to help protect the environment, the community action programs and the Liberty Campaign Plan.

After the briefing, the reporters visited a special display of equipment used by various units on Okinawa. The press had the opportunity to closely examine the equipment and ask questions about it. They also met and interviewed some Marines on the island.

Ayaka Shimada from Fuji TV Japan was one of the first reporters to tour the display and meet the Marines. "I think it's a good opportunity for the press to get to know more about the Marines," said Shimada, who also commented how useful the hands-on experience was.

Reuter's reporter Jon Herskovitz

"At a time when so many reporters have covered Okinawa in terms of the U.S.-Japan bilateral relationship and are coming for the G-8 Summit, it's a good thing to show them the bases so they can actually see what they have been writing about," stated Herskovitz.

Marines welcomed the chance to

showcase their special skills and their equipment.

"I think it's a really good opportunity for the Japanese to come see what the Marine Corps is all about and why we are here," said 26-yearold Sgt. Glenn E. Singer, a Light Armored Vehicle driver from C Company, Light Armored Reconnaissance Battalion, currently attached to Combat Assault battalion, 3rd Marine Division. "I think it's a good opportunity for the Japanese media to find out more about the Marine Corps' mission here," he

Corporal Jason B. Carnahan, from the 1st Stinger Battery, Marine Air Control Group-18, echoed those ideas. "It gives the press the opportunity to see what the Marine Corps has and uses for protecting Okinawa," said Carnahan.

The week ended with a special tour to the Jungle Warfare Training Center July 22. More than 30 media reporters watched Marines practice jungle warfare tactics using the chalk marking rounds from Special Effects Small Arms Marking System and had the chance to join them in rappelling off a cliff. They finished the tour by chowing down on a Meal, Ready-to-Eat and taking a helicopter ride.

"It was exceptional, especially the Marines in the field," said Rann. "It gave us a chance to touch the rest of the world with what our Marines are doing here."

# MALS-12 Marine earns award

by Cpl. Kurt Fredrickson

Torii Teller Staff

Each year the Marine Corps Aviation Association awards one Marine the Ken W. Southcomb Aviation Supply Marine of the Year Award for outstanding performance in their job field.

This year that honor went to Staff Sgt. Alan Papke, MALS-12 Repairable Control Branch noncommissioned officer-in-charge. He received the award for managing inventory consisting of over 2,600 items valued at more than \$264 million.

What earned Papke the award was not just recent work, but a career full of experience.

Papke began his Marine Corps career in supply more than 17 years ago.

After boot camp at Marine Corps Recruit Depot San Diego he was transferred to Naval Air Station Meridian, Miss., for his formal training as a basic aviation supply clerk.

Private First Class Papke's first assignment was to NAS New Orleans, La. While there, then Lance Cpl. Papke, received a meritorious promotion to Corporal for devotion to duty, superior knowledge, appearance and professionalism. The traits and values that earned Papke a meritorious promotion have stayed with him and have now earned him an award.

"After all the years of performing my job and completing the mission, I never expected to win an award," Papke said.

Papke did not know about the award until he was told about being nominated. According to Papke, his concern was never with winning an award, but instead with coming to work and giving 110 percent every day like Marines do.

After his nominationwas submitted, Papke forgot about the award and went back to work. It came as a surprise when he found out he had

"I got the phone call at seven in the morning," Papke said. "I didn't believe it."

"The award speaks for itself. He's the best supply guy of the year," said Gunnery Sgt. Mark Obey, MALS-12 Reparable Management Division non-commissioned officer-in-charge. "People go to him when they need the answers."

While in Iwakuni he reduced the delivery times for high priority reparable parts from more than one hour to a weekly average of 26



photo by Lance Cpl. Richard Longhi

Staff Sgt. Alan Papke and his Marines maintain the parts necessary to keep the aircraft up and running.

minutes, which helped MAG-12 enjoy a 91.2 percent mission capable rate during February 2000

"We make sure the gear is there for the airplanes so they can fly," Papke said. "They can fix them, but we give them the parts."

The award banquet for all the winners will be held in Washington, D.C. Winners of MCAA awards will be flown to the ceremony with a guest for a four-day stay in the nation's capital.

Aside from receiving the award, Papke said he is excited to see some of the famous sights. He has never been to the Washington, D.C. and wants to see as much as he can.

As for the award, Papke said, "I'm honored and privileged to receive it."

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lives of your loved ones."

When contact with a typhoon is inevitable, preparations must be taken to ensure safety. Some considerations include bringing all lawn furniture and pets indoors, and strapping down anything that can not be

taken inside during the storm.

Family Housing inspectors are sent out to ensure there are no loose objects that could be hazardous in high winds.

"Our inspectors do several checks through the housing areas," said Sally Gilmour, housing manager. "We're just trying to ensure that everyone is safe."

It is also suggested that anyone leaving the station inform the housing office of their absence. This ensures that safety precautions will be made to the vacant house in case of an emergency.

During an event such as a typhoon, residents can tune in to

American Forces Network (1575 AM, AFN Pacific, Channel 66 or 11) to keep updated on conditions and command information.

By preparing for disaster safety early, Iwakuni residents can increase their safety over the summer.

For more information call the American Red Cross at 253-4525.

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#### photos by Cpl. Ryan O'Hare

#### Kara Navradszsky hooks up the jib sheet on her sail boat, before setting out for an afternoon of sailing.

## Marina

**by Cpl. Ryan O'Hare** Torii Teller Staff

As the sun peaked above the horizon, a the mist rose off of the ocean, it was the da of another beautiful day in Iwakuni and a day for sailing.



Kara Navradszky takes her sister, Kim Na out for a day of sailing.

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## offers chance to set sail

Now that summer time has arrived, the opportunity to set sail and enjoy the water is available to Iwakuni residents.

"Sailing is a great outdoor activity. I encourage everyone to come out here and learn how to do it," said Scott Edwards, Outdoor Recreation director. "It's a great way to spend the day outside in the sun, and the whole family

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can participate in the activity. It's good to see people getting outdoors and learning something new and developing their skills."

Status of Forces Agreement personnel have the opportunity to get out on the water and sail the afternoon away by attending the sailing course offered through Outdoor Recreation.

Edwards teaches U.S. Association level-one

sailing classes every other week at the station marina for a nominal fee. The certification is valid for sailing anywhere in the United States and any military base overseas.

"The classes are both exciting and leisurely at the same time," said Gunnery Sgt. Jay White, American Forces Network operations supervisor. "It's been a great experience learning how to sail, and it's something my family enjoys to do as well."

Each class is broken down into five, four-hour sessions. The basics of rigging, tacking, and wind direction are just a few of the topics covered throughout the course. Students are also taught the proper safety procedures in case their boat capsizes.

"Safety is our main concern," said Edwards.
"We want the students to be able to react to any situation that may arise out on the water."

The students learn the fundamentals of sailing on "American 14.6" sailboats. According to Edwards, these boats are perfect for beginners as well as seasoned sailors alike. Four sailboats are available for free checkout by SOFA personnel within the marina limits.

"One of the great things about sailing is I'm able to choose the conditions I want to sail in," White said. "I can come out here on a windy day and really slice through the water or choose a light day to read a book and enjoy the sun. I strongly recommend the class to anyone who enjoys the water."

For more information about sailing classes, call Outdoor Recreation at 253-3822.



Gunnery Sgt Jay White, and his wife Pamala, adjust the boom and tie down all the lines before taking their children out for some afternoon fun on the water.



Kale White, 6, receives a lesson from dad, Gunnery Sgt. Jay White, on how to steer a steady course across the water.

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### **AFN TV Channel 11**

#### Friday

12:30 ESPNews

1:00 Movies 'til Dawn: Deliverance (TV-PG)

Movies 'til Dawn'

The War Of The Roses (TV-PG)

5:00 Headline News

5:30 ESPNews

6:00 Today Show

8:00 Headline News

8:30 Showbiz Today

9:00 Sesame Street

10:00 Blues Clues

10:30 Kiana's Flex Appeal

11:00 The Oprah Winfrey Show

12:00 NBC Nightly News

12:30 Wheel Of Fortune

1:00 Port Charles

1:30 Guiding Light (TV-14)

2:00 General Hospital (TV-14)

Sylvester And Tweety Mysteries

3:30 Sponge Bob

4:00 Sister Sister (TV-PG)

4:30 Sabrina The Teenage Witch (TV-G)

5:00 Jeopardy!

5:30 Headline News

6:00 Pacific Report

6:33 CNN/SI

7:00 The Simpsons (TV-PG)

7:30 The Hughleys (TV-PG)

8:00 Star Trek: Voyager (TV-PG)

9:00 X-Files (TV-14) 10:00 Pacific Report

10:35 Tonight Show With Jay Leno

11:35 Late Show With David Letterman

#### Saturday

12:35 ESPNews

1:05 Movies 'til Dawn: Waterworld (TV-PG)

Movies 'til Dawn: Double Platium (TV-PG)

5:00 Today Show

7:00 Sesame Street Specials 7:30 Franklin (TV-Y)

8:00 Disney's Pepper Ann (TV-G)

8:30 Wild Thornberrys (TV-Y)

9:00 Pokemon (TV-Y)

9:30 Dear America: Royal Diaries (TV-G)

10:00 Scientific American Frontiers (TV-PG)

11:00 Hometime (TV-PG)

11:30 California's Gold

12:00 NBC Nightly News

12:30 Navy/Marine Corps News

1:00 Sports (TD)

4:00 WWF Superstars (TV-14)

6:00 Headline News

5:00 Entertainers

6:30 ESPNews

7:00 JAG (TV-PG) 8:00 Judging Amy (TV-PG)

9:00 20/20 Friday

10:00 Headline News

10:30 ESPNews

11:00 Saturday Night Live (TV-14)

#### Sunday

12:30 Motown Live (TV-G)

1:30 It's Showtime At The Apollo

2:30 Storytellers (TV-PG)

3:30 Friday Night

4:30 Entertainers 5:00 Headline News

5:30 Hour of Power

6:00 Taking Authority '98

6:30 Coral Ridge Hour

7:00 The Word In The World

7:30 Cafe Video

8:00 Mister Rogers' Neighborhood

8:30 Wishbone

9:00 Wonderful World/Disney:

A Knight in Camelot (TV-PG) 11:00 NFL Merican Bowl (ESPN)

Falcons vs. Cowboys

2:00 Nature (TV-PG)

3:00 Headline News

3:30 Army Newswatch

4:00 Xena: Warrior Princess (TV-PG)

5:00 Computer Chronicles

5:30 Wall Street Journal Report

6:00 Headline News

6:30 ESPNews

7:00 Whose Line Is It Anyway (TV-PG)

7:30 Ladies Man (TV-PG)

8:00 Prime Time Movie: Election (TV-PG)

10:00 Headline News

10:30 Seinfeld

11:00 The Drew Carey Show (TV-PG)

11:30 Walker, Texas Ranger (TV-PG)

#### Monday

12:30 Americas Black Forum

1:00 AMA Motocross (ESPN2) 3:30 MLS (ESPN2)

5:00 WNBA (NBC)

Houston Comets at Sacramento Monarchs

7:00 CNN/SI

7:30 The Olympic Show (CNBC) 8:00 Headline News

8:30 Showbiz Today

9:00 Sesame Street 10:00 Puzzle Place

10:30 Kiana's Flex Appeal

11:00 The Oprah Winfrey Show (TV-14)

12:00 Headline News

12:30 Wheel Of Fortune

1:00 Port Charles (TV-14)

1:25 Guiding Light (TV-14)

2:15 General Hospital (TV-14)

3:05 The New Adventures Of Winnie The Pooh

3:30 Disney's Aladin (TV-Y)

4:00 Squigglevision (TV-Y)

4:30 All That (TV-Y)

5:00 Jeopardy! 5:30 Headline News

6:00 Pacific Report

6:33 CNN/SI 7:00 60 Minutes 8:00 Touched By An Angel (TV-PG)

9:00 The West Wing (TV-14)

10:00 Pacific Report

10:35 Tonight Show With Jay Leno 11:35 Late Show With David Letterman

**Tuesday** 

12:35 ESPNews 1:05 Movies 'til Dawn:

How The West Was Won(TV-PG)

4:05 Movies 'til Dawn: World's Scariest Police Chases 2

5:00 Headline News

5:30 ESPNews

6:00 Today Show

8:00 Headline News

8:30 Showbiz Today 9:00 Sesame Street

10:00 Bear In The Big Blue House (TV-Y)

10:30 Co-Ed Training

11:00 The Oprah Winfrey Show (TV-14)

12:00 NBC Nightly News

12:30 Wheel Of Fortune

1:00 Port Charles (TV-14)

1:25 Guiding Light (TV-14) 2:15 General Hospital (TV-14)

3:05 Digimon: Digital Monsters (TV-Y7)

3:30 Beakman's World (TV-Y7)

4:00 Nick News 4:30 Sports Figures (TV-G)

5:00 Jeopardy!

5:30 Headline News 6:00 Pacific Report

6:33 CNN/SI

7:00 Everybody Loves Raymond (TV-PG)

7:30 Primetime Movie: Pleasantville 10:00 Pacific Report

10:35 Tonight Show With Jay Leno

11:35 Late Show With David Letterman

#### Wednesday

12:35 ESPNews

1:05 Movies 'til Dawn:

The Searchers (TV-PG) Movies 'til Dawn:

Cry Wilderness (TV-PG)

5:00 Headline News 5:30 ESPNews

6:00 Today Show

8:00 Headline News 8:30 Showbiz Today

9:00 Sesame Street 9:30 Blues Clues (TV-Y)

10:00 Bodyshaping

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1:00 Port Charles (TV-14)

1:25 Guiding Light (TV-14) 2:15 General Hospital (TV-14)

3:05 Disney's 101 Dalmations (TV-G)

3:30 Brand Spanking New Doug 4:00 Outward Bound (TV-Y7)

4:30 Saved By The Bell: The New Class (TV-G)

5:00 Jeopardy!

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7:00 Sabrina, The Teenage Witch (TV-G)

7:30 Boy Meets World (TV-PG) 8:00 Dawson's Creek (TV-14)

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12:35 ESPNews

1:05 Movies 'til Dawn:

True Grit (TV-G) 2:50 Movies 'til Dawn:

The Abduction (TV-PG) 5:00 Headline News

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5:00 Jeopardy! (TV-G) 5:30 Headline News 6:00 Pacific Report

6:33 CNN/SI 7:00 Friends (TV-PG)

7:30 The Steve Harvey Show (TV-PG) 8:00 Frasier (TV-PG)

8:35 To Be Announced (TV-PG) 9:00 NYPD Blue (TV-14)

10:00 Pacific Report

10:35 Tonight Show With Jay Leno 11:35 Late Show With David Letterman

### Friday

12:35 ESPNews 1:05 Movies 'til Dawn:

Operation Pacific (TV-PG) 3:05 Movies 'til Dawn:

North Dallas Forty (TV-PG)

5:00 Headline News 5:30 ESPNews

6:00 Today 8:00 Headline News

8:30 Showbiz Today 9:00 Sesame Street

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### Sakura Theater

Friday
7 p.m. X-Men
10 p.m. Gone In Sixty Seconds

Saturday 4 p.m. Fantasia 2000

7 p.m. Gone In Sixty Seconds 10 p.m. X-Men Sunday 3 p.m. X-Men

7 p.m. The Patriot

Monday 7 p.m. Gone In Sixty Seconds

<u>Thursday</u>

Tuesday

12:30 p.m. Pokemon The Movie
7 p.m. Big Momma's House Wednesday
30 p.m. Sabrina Teenage Witch
7 p.m. X-Men

Closed

12:30 p.m.

X-Men (PG-13)

Rated PG-13 for sci-fi action violence.

Adapted from the most popular Marvel comics of the 1990s, the X-Men are a group of genetic mutants with amazing abilities, brought together and trained by the world's most powerful telepath, Professor Charles Xavier (Patrick Stewart) to help fight for his dream — a world where the mutant minority and human majority can live together in harmony — to be judged not by the fancy powers they possess, but by the content of their character. However, the Mutant Master of Magnetism, Magneto (Ian McKellen), scarred by the human brutality he's amassed a brotherhood of like-minded mutants to help achieve his goals by any means necessary. With anti-mutant sentiment prevailing at every turn, the X-Men strive to protect the very humans that fear and hate them.

# Rated PG-13 for violence, sexuality and language. Gone in Sixty Seconds is about a car thief of legendary proportion. No fancy lock or alarm could stop him; your car would be there, and then gone in 60 seconds. For years, he eluded the law while boosting every make and model imaginable. When the heat became too intense, he abandoned his life of crime and left everything and everyone he loved to find a different life. Now, when his kid brother tries to follow in his footsteps, only to become embroiled in a high stakes caper, Memphis is sucked back into his ways — to save his brother's life.

Gone In Sixty Seconds (PG-13)

Sabrina the Teenage Witch (PG)

Based on a character from the "Archie Comics," this live-action comic adventure follows the exploits of a 16-year-old girl who, after moving in with her two batty aunts and starting at a new school, discovers she's a witch.

This schedule is submitted by the Sakura Theater and is subject to change Any questions or comments can be directed to **MCCS** at 253-4003.

### sports teams names at www.iwakuni.usmc.mil.

#### Kokusai:

Iwakuni's Theaters

**Aug. 4-11**"Perfect Storm" - 12:50 p.m., 3 p.m., 5:20 p.m., 7:40 p.m., (Sat. only) 10 p.m.

New Central I:

### Aug. 4-18 "Mission Impossible 2" - 11:20 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 4 p.m., 6:20 p.m., (Sat. only) 8:40 p.m., 11 p.m.

Central II: Aug. 5 - end of August No English Movies

New

Aug. 4 - end of August No English Movies

New Central III:

### **Classified Ads**

- -1986 Honda, sedan, 4-cylinder, white, JCI till July 2001, \$800. Call Sgt. Naranjo at 253-3158 dwh or 253-4103 awh. —1987 Subar Domingo, minivan, A/C, heat, AM/FM cassette, JCI till May 2001, \$1,000/obo. Call Candy at 253-4043 dwh or 21-7987 awh.
- —1987 Toyota Sprinter, 4-door, A/C, PW, auto, runs good, JCI till June 2001, \$900/obo. Call Sgt. West at 253-4335 dwh or 253-3775 awh.
- -1989 Honda Prelude, 2-door, sunroof, PW, auto, 4WD, heater, A/C, JCI till January 2002, \$1,500/obo. Call Brewer at 253-6515 dwh or 253-2011 awh.
- —1989 Toyota Supra, burgandy, hard top convertible, lip spoiler and back spoiler, six disc CD changer, Alpine stereo w/cassette and equalizer, TV w/booster and antennas, chrome trimmings on fenders, chrome rims w/low rider tires, JCI till March 2001, \$3,000. Call Cpl. Smith at 253-4014 dwh or 253-7781 awh.
- -1990 Honda Accord, 4-door, power sunroof, PW/PDL/ PM, one-year JCI, \$1,900. Call Staff Sgt. Pontarelli at 253-5925 dwh or 253-2085 awh.
- —1990 Toyota Camry, 79,000 kilometers, 2.0L, PS/PB/PW, AM/FM cassette, JCI till September 2001, \$1,700. Call Gunnery Sgt. Huddleston at 253-2868.
- -1990 Honda Civic, 4-door, PW/PDL, A/C, heat, reliable. JCI till March 2002, \$1,500/obo. Call Michelle Smith at 253-5551 dwh or 253-2697 awh.

#### Motorcycle for sale

-1998 Yamaha V-MAX, 1,200cc, silver, black, V-4, 3,300 kilometers, includes helmet and bike cover, recent carb overhall. Call Sgt. Wall at 253-6463 dwh or 253-2771 awh.

#### Other items for sale

- -CYRIX M II 333 computer, 40X CD ROM, 3.5GB HD, 44MB RAM, 56K modem, microphone, speakers, Windows 98 SE, Office 2000 Pro, 14-inch monitor, must sell immediately, \$500/obo. Call Sgt. Dan Root at 253-3091 dwh or 253-2523 awh.
- -RCA color TV, 21-inch, 1995 model, paid \$255 and asking \$90; Hitachi VCR, digital auto tracking, 1997-1998 model, paid \$169 and asking \$90; Pioneer stereo CD cassette deck receiver, A100 XR-A100, three disc CD player, 1998-1999 model, paid \$189; w/two speakers: Bass reflex wide range speaker system, asking \$150. Call Setsuko Rhoady at 32-9001.
- Two sets of Klipsch stereo speakers and one sub-woofer. Call Gunnery Sgt. Huddleston at 253-2868.

  —Double-bed and frame, \$30; kitchen table and chair, \$40;
- Schwinn bicycle, men's, \$40. Available Aug. 20. Call Jim Simmen at 253-3733 dwh or 21-7968 awh
- Refrigerator, \$75; table w/two chairs, \$75; microwave, \$30; fans, heaters, vacuum, coffee table, transformer, lamps, etc. \$15-25. Call Cmdr. Young at 253-6324 dwh or 253-
- -Japanese A/C w/remote, excellent condition. \$150. Call Ken Costello at 253-3656 dwh or 253-2770 awh.

#### Wanted

- -The Family Advocacy Program is looking for volunteers to assist in the Volunteer Victim Advocacy Program. Those willing to provide information and emotional support to people who are in crisis situations resulting from domestic violence or sexual assault should call 253-4526
- -Looking for large house plants and trees, upright or deep freezer, gently used entertainment center. Call Connie Dillard at 253-6556 awh.

#### Job opening

-The Enlisted Spouses Club Consignment Shop is currently accepting applications for the assistant manager position until Aug. 11. Applications can be picked up at the Consignment Shop, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. or call 253-2656.

#### MCCS job openings

- —Three full-time management positions are available at Softland International's Iwakuni video rental and audio resale outlets. Maturity and experience are desired qualifications. Call Kary Poore, Torii Video, at 253-4700 or Cassandra Newsome, Torii Tunes, at 253-2555. Applicants also may contact Alan Burnside, Director-Military Sales, Softland International, 42 Sandbridge, Aliso Viejo, California, 92656. E-mail Burnside at absoftrep@aol.com -The MCAS Iwakuni Retired Activities Office has an
- opening for a volunteer administrative assistant. Typical duties involve researching references, compiling information, formulating ideas, organizing files, preparing newsletters and other similar functions. Basic administrative and customer assistance skills are essential. Experience in MS Office 97 and MS Publisher are helpful and professional training is available. This position offers a flexible work schedule with no minimum hours and free childcare is available. If you are interested in helping Iwakuni's retired
- military community, call Ken Runyan at 253-3571.

  —The New Parent Support Program currently has an opening for a home visitor in Iwakuni. The requirements are as follows: knowledge of military system/community resources, licensed LCSW or RN (RN must possess an AA

or BS degree in community health, public health, or maternal/child nursing); two or more years postgraduate experience in community health, public health, or maternal/ child nursing, home visiting, or family/child counseling.  $\,A\,$ driver's license and insurance are required. Only applicants meeting stated contract qualifications will be considered. For more information call 253-6553 or stop by Building 411,

#### (The following jobs are open at MCCS Personnel:)

- -Automation Clerk, Information Technology, NF-02,
- -Office Automation Clerk, Retail Admin, NF-02, regular full time.
- -Library Aid, Library, NF-01, regular full time
- -Sports Specialist, Youth Sports, NF-03, regular full time. -Aquatics Program/Lifeguard Supervisor, Aquatics, NF-03, regular full time
- -Duty Manager, Temporary Lodging Facility, NF-02,
- -Club Operations Assistant, Eagle's Nest, NF-02, flexible Cook, Eagle's Nest, NA-04, regular full time
- -Operations Assistant, Food Court, NF-02, regular full time and flexible.
- -Food Service Worker, Food Court and Burger King, NA-02. regular full time and flexible
- -Sales Associate/Cashier, Sound Shop, NF-01, regular full
- -Sales Associate/Cashier, Main Exchange, NF-01, regular
- -Sales/Cashier, Auto Mini Mart and Service Station, NF-01, regular full time and flexible
- -Program Assistant, Child Development Center, CC-1,
- regular full time and flexible. Recreation Assistant, NF-02, flexible
- -Recreation Attendant, NF-01, flexible
- -Car Rental/Service Station Attendant, Service Station (Car Rental), NF-01, regular full time and regular part time
- -Taxi Dispatcher, Services, NF-01, flexible
- Taxi Driver, Services, NA-04, day time.
- -Laborer, Warehouse, NA-01, flexible -Materials Handler, NA-05, flexible.
- Security Guard, Main Complex, NF-01, flexible (Pick up a job application in the MCCS Personnel Office, Crossroads Mall second floor, Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays 7:30 a.m.- 5:30 p.m.; Tuesdays and Thursdays 7:30  $\,$ a.m.- 4:30 p.m. or call 253-3030.)

#### **HRO Job Openings**

#### (Human Resources Office is currently accepting applications for the following positions:)

- -Equal Employment Opportunity Counselor(s), open until
- -Child Development Center Director, GS-1701-09, open until filled.
- -Managem ent and Program Analysis Officer, GS-343-13, open until filled.
- -Alcohol and Drug Abuse Program Supervisor, GS-101-11, open until filled Environmental Protection Specialist, GS-0028-12, open
- until filled -Contract Specialist Supervisory, GS-1102-11, open until
- -Recreation Assistant, GS-189-05, open until filled
- Contract Specialist, GS-1102-11, open until filled.Supervisory Librarian, GS-1410-09, open until filled.
- -Child Development Education Specialist, GS-1701-07, open until filled.
- Family Member Employment Program Specialist, GS-0301-09, open until filled.
- -Mechanical Engineer, GS-0830-12, open until filled.
- -Child Development Education Specialist, GS-1701-9/11, open until filled
- -Supervisory Education Services Specialist, GS-1740-12, open until filled. -Information, Referral and Relocation Assistant, GS-303-
- 06, open until filled.
- Office Automation Clerk, GS-326-04, open until filled.
- -Customer Service Leader, GS-2091-05, open until filled.
- -Housing Manager, GS-1173-11, open until filled. -Education Technician, GS-1702-05, open until filled
- -Interdisciplinary Engineer Supervisory, GS-0800-12, open until filled
- -Materials Handler, WG-6907-05, open until filled.
- -Mechanical Engineer, GS-0830-12, open until filled. -Supply Management Officer, GS-2003-11, open until
- -Management Analyst, GS-343-11, open until Aug. 14. (For additional information and appropriate forms call CHRO, Building 360, Room 32 at 253-6828.)

#### To submit your ads or announcement ...

Torii Teller accepts ads/announcement for nonprofit organizations and groups only. Briefs will run on spaceavailable and time-priority basis. Deadline for briefs is noon Thursday. Torii Teller reserves the right to edit to fit space. To submit, stop by Building 360, Room 7 to fill

### **Blotter**

The following excerpts are taken from the Blotter:

A Marine NCO reported he observed unknown persons break the door window of an office and lounge area. When Military Police entered the office, the individuals had fled the scene.

A Marine NCO observed a junior Marine laying in an alley being assisted by a NCO. Upon investigation, Military Police found that the NCO was intoxicated and fell when the NCO and junior Marine had been wrestling and the junior Marine struck the NCO. The NCO sustained a laceration above his right eye and was released by medical.

A Marine officer and Sailor were involved in a verbal altercation which escalated into a physical confrontation. The Marine struck the Sailor in the mouth, causing injury to the Sailor's upper lip.

#### What's cooking at the Ehow Halls ...

Lunch: Tempura Fried Fish, Chili Macaroni Dinner: Turkey Pot Pie, Swedish Meatballs

#### Saturday

Dinner Brunch: Southern Fried Chicken, Roast Pork

Dinner Brunch: Chicken Cacciatore, Shrimp Scampi

Lunch: Italian Styled Veal Steak, Salisbury Steak Dinner: Meat Loaf, Chicken Fajitas

Lunch: Stuffed Green Peppers, Chili Macaroni

Dinner: Swiss Steak with Mushroom Gravy, Sweet and Sour

#### <u>Wednesday</u>

Lunch: Braised Pork Chops, Steak Ranchero Dinner: Honey Glazed Rock Cornish Hens, Beef Stroganoff





Lunch: Bake Canned Ham, Braized Beef and Noodles Dinner: NewEngland Boiled Dinner, Baked

Chicken









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#### Tide Table

	High tide		Low tide	
	<u>Time</u>	Size	<u>Time</u>	Size
Aug. 4	12:12 a.m.	11.31	6:15 a.m.	2.67
	12:18 p.m.	10.14	6:27 p.m.	1.58
Aug. 5	12:48 a.m.	10.71	6:57 a.m.	2.83
	1:06 p.m.	9.62	7:09 p.m.	2.71
Aug. 6	1:30 a.m.	10.04	7:39 a.m.	3.11
	2 p.m.	9.01	7:57 p.m.	3.91
Aug. 7	2:12 a.m.	9.34	8:33 a.m.	3.45
	3:06 p.m.	8.48	8:51 p.m.	5.04
Aug. 8	3 a.m.	8.70	9:32 a.m.	3.74
	4:29 p.m.	8.27	10:08 p.m.	5.89
Aug. 9	3:59 a.m.	8.22	10:50 a.m.	3.82
	5:59 p.m.	8.56	11:56 p.m.	6.31
Aug. 10	5:17 a.m.	8.03	12:08 p.m.	3.56
	7:05 p.m.	9.13		



#### Test Schedule

#### **Every Tuesday/Friday**

- College Level Examination Program
- DANTES Subject Standardized Test
- Aug. 16 ACT Examination
- Aug. 28 Electronics Data Processing Test
- Aug. 30 Defense Language Proficiency Test
  - Defense Language Aptitude Battery
- Aug. 31 Armed Forces Classification Test

All tests begin at 8 a.m. at the Education Service Office, located at Building 411, Room 101. Sign up 15 minutes prior. There is a fee for civilian personnel but not for service members. No Scholastic Assessment Tests will be held during August. For more information call 253-3855.

#### **Total Quality Training Opportunities**

Total Quality classes offered:

**Aug. 7-11** Fundamentals of TQ in

Japanese

Aug. 14-18 Team Skills and Concepts in

English

Aug. 28-Sep. 1 Facilitator Refresher in English Anyone is welcome to sign up and take the classes. There is no fee to the student. To reserve a seat should call 253-4719 or e-mail hornew@iwakuni.usmc.mil.

#### **Human Resources Office Classes**

**Aug. 10** - Business Reform Initiatives/ Suggestions/Civilian Leadership

**Aug. 17** - USCS Time and Attendance/ Overtime and Fraud/Waste/Abuse

Classes are held from 8:30-10:30 a.m. in Building 411, Room 115. For more information e-mail gillespiej@iwakuni.usmc.mil.



#### Medical Clinic Health Promotions

Tobacco Cessation Courses will be held Aug. 16, 18, 30 and Sept. 1, and a Controlling Cholesterol Course will be held Aug. 31. All courses will be held from 10-11 a.m., in the Branch Medical Clinic Library. For more information call 253-3266.

#### Alcoholics Anonymous

Alcoholics Anonymous open meetings are held Wednesdays, 11:30 a.m. and Thursdays and Sundays at 7 p.m. Closed meetings are held each Monday and Thursday, 11:30 a.m. and Tuesday at 7 p.m. All meetings are held on the second floor of Building 497. For more information call 43-4814.

#### Placement Program Brief

An Outbound Family Member Priority Placement Program Brief is scheduled for current and former family member U.S. civil service (GS) employees who are within two months of PCSing

back to the continental United States.

Family members who have been employed for more than 12 months must attend this brief.

For more information call 253-6828.

#### Cub Scout Pack 77 Fall Round-Up

Cub Scout Pack 77 Fall Membership Roundup is scheduled Sept. 16-17, noon-2 p.m., at the Crossroads Mall, Main Exchange and Commissary. Some events throughout the year include camping, pine wood party, hiking and more. For more information call 253-2389.

#### Marine Corps Community Services

#### Music Festival

The Club Iwakuni Summer Music Festival, featuring five live bands, is scheduled Aug. 26, 5 p.m.-midnight. The event will take place on the 18th hole behind Club Iwakuni, in the ballroom in case of inclement weather.

#### Childbirth Education Classes

The Marine New Parent Support program will hold Childbirth Education Classes for expectant parents beginning Aug. 14. Sessions will be held Mondays (except Sept. 5), 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the Community Services Building, Room 127. For more information call 253-6553.

#### **Playmorning**

Parents and children 6 and younger are welcome at Playmorning, held Tuesdays in Building 589's community room. For more information call 253-6553.

#### DoD School Lunch Program

The Personal Services Division accepts applications for the Department of Defense National School Lunch program for the 2000-2001 school year on a continuing basis. Eligible participants receive free or reduced price lunches. For more information call Teri Lovely at 253-6352.

#### Japanese Language Classes

The Iwakuni Welfare Center will offer beginner, intermediate, and advanced level class in Japanese Tuesdays, 7-9 p.m., Sept. 5 through Nov. 28. Registration will begin Tuesday at the Community Services Building, Room 219. Class is open to all SOFA-status personnel.

#### Information Fair

An Information Fair 2000 is scheduled Sept. 16. This annual event introduces base and local information to air station residents. For more information call 253-6161.

#### Self Esteem Class

Learn how to build self esteem in your children age 6 and younger Aug. 16, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. in the Community Services Building, Room 216. For more information call 253-6553.

#### Taxi Hours Change

Marine Corps Community Services taxi service is now available Monday through Thursday, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, 11 a.m.-3 a.m., and Sundays, 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Call 253-5007 for service on air station only.

#### VA Representative Visits

A Department of Veterans Affairs Military Services Coordinator will visit the air station Aug. 22-25. Briefings are scheduled Aug. 22, 9:30-11:30 a.m. and Aug. 23, 1-3 p.m. in the Community Services Building. Individual appointments are also available. This may be the last visit until next spring. For more information call 253-6439.

#### Single Marine Weekend Events

The Single Marine Program will offer a dinner and karaoke trip Aug. 12 and a trip to Hiroshima to watch Japanese professional baseball Aug. 13. To sign up visit the Hornet's Nest Single Marine Center on north side. There is a fee for both events.

#### Special Order for Ball

The Marine Corps Exchange special order department is accepting orders for dress uniforms for this year's Navy and Marine Corps balls, until Sept. 15. For more information call 253-5641.

#### **Ultimate Job Search**

This four-video package takes you step by step through the job search process. Topics include how to start searching, techniques, writing resumes and cover letters, and interviewing. For more information call 253-6439.

#### Focus on Communications

Marine Corps Community Services Marketing will conduct focus groups on MCCS communications Aug. 22-23 and 24-25. Individuals interested in participating in the focus groups should stop by MCCS Marketing or call 253-5927 by Aug. 15.

#### Anger Management

Learn how to manage your anger at this lunchtime seminar Tuesday, 11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m. For more information call 253-3737.



#### Chapel News

(1)- Chapel Annex (2)- School Gym

#### Roman Catholic

Saturday	5:30 p.m.	Mass	(1)
Sunday	9 a.m.	Mass	(2)
<b>Protestant</b>			
Sunday	10 a.m.	Church of Christ	(1)
	10:30 a.m.	General Service	(2)
	noon	Gospel Service	(2)

	Latter Day Sai	inte	Gospei Service	(2)
	Sunday	12:30 p.m.	Service	(1)
l	Jewish			( )
	Friday	6 p.m.	Shabat	(1)

For information regarding devine services, religious education or any other Command Religious Program/Chapel activity, call the Station Chapel at 253-5218. For information on Jewish services call Mark Zeid at 082-231-4008 after 6 p.m. or call the Station Chapel.

## Sports Briefs

#### **Japanese Hunting Course**

Japanese Hunting Course will be held Aug. 28, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. at the skeet range. Those interested must complete applications not later than Aug. 11. For more information Call Chief Warrant Officer 2 Wayerek at 253-6217.

#### Fishing/Camping Show

Everyone is welcome at a free fishing clinic and camping show at Penny Lake August 12, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. The event includes contests, seminars, demonstrations and a display of fishing and camping gear from Outdoor Recreation. For more information call 253-3822.

#### **Youth Soccer**

Registration for youth soccer will begin Monday at the Main Gym. Sign up weekdays 8 a.m.-4 p.m. at the front desk. Play is open to youth 5-14 years old, and opening ceremonies are scheduled Sept. 23 at 10 a.m.

#### **Uniform Return**

Youth Sports requests baseball players to return their uniforms to the Main Gym as soon as possible. For more information call 253-3239.

#### Tsunami Swim Team

The youth swim team is currently without a coach. Anyone interested in volunteering to coach the team may call 253-5520 or 253-4966.

#### **Square Dance Instructor**

Anyone interested in square dancing should call Health Promotions at 253-6359. The offering of classes depends on patron response. For more information call 253-6359.

#### **Co-Ed Softball**

Co-ed softball league play will begin Aug. 11 on the Monzen and Penny Lake fields. Coaches meet Tuesday, 10 a.m., in the Main

Gym. Japan Maritime Self-Defense Force, IHA, MLC and SOFAstatus personnel age 16 and up may participate. For more information call 253-5777.

#### **Softball Tournament**

The Single Marine Program co-sponsors a one pitch softball tournament in support of drug and alcohol awareness Aug. 12-13. Coaches will meet Monday, 10 a.m., in the Main Gym. Play is open to SOFA-status, JMSDF, IHA and MLC personnel age 16 and older. For more information call 253-5777.

#### **SCUBA Classes**

Aquatics will hold open water diver, rescue diver and medic first aid SCUBA classes in August. For more information call 253-4966 or 253-5520.

#### **Gladiators Competition**

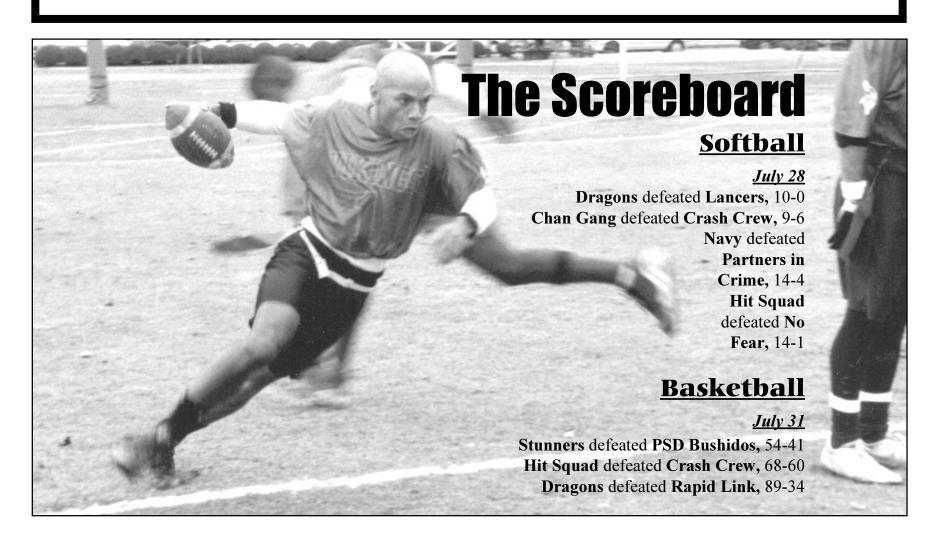
The annual unit competition is scheduled Aug. 18. Tagged the "Sober Bowl" this year, the competition is co-sponsored by the Single Marine Program in support of drug and alcohol awareness. Unit teams may enter. For more information call 253-5051.

#### **Labor Day Sprint Triathlon**

Register now for the Sept. 3 Labor Day Sprint Triathlon. The race consists of a 1,200-meter swim, 36-kilometer bike portion, and a 10-kilometer run. The event is open to the general public, and there is a fee except for unit teams. Registration will closes Aug. 25. For entry information or to volunteer call Mr. Uemura at 253-5654.

#### **Stableford Golf Tournament**

Torii Pines will hold a Modified Stableford Golf Tournament Aug. 26. Showtime is 7 a.m., with a 7:30 a.m. shotgun start. There is an entry fee, and eligible golfers must sign up by 9 a.m. Aug. 24. In recognition of Retiree Appreciation Week, special prizes will be awarded to retirees placing first through third. For more information call 253-3402.



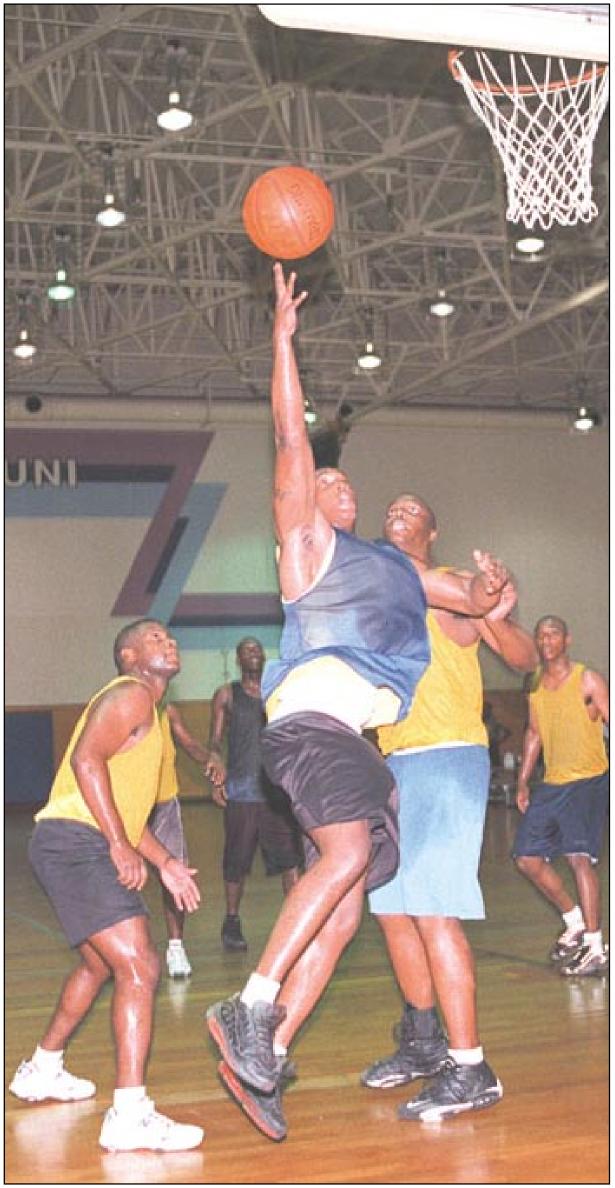


photo by Sgt. Michael Wiener

Hit Squad's Domonic Eleby drives the lane, splits the defenders for an easy two in their 64-40 win over the SE Tuggers Monday night at the Main Gym in their last game of the season.

## Hit Squad devours SE Tuggers 64-40

**by Sgt. Michael Wiener** Torii Teller Staff

The Hit Squad ended their season on a high note Monday, sending the SE Tuggers to a disappointing 64-40 loss in intramural basketball action at the Main Gym.

Running the ball and using the fast break was key to Hit Squad's dominance of the game, said coach Michael Cosby.

"When we were thinking about what we were doing, we were successful," he said.

Keeping the tempo of the game up, Hit Squad jumped out to a 6-0 lead and never let it go. Jerry Bringley, Hit Squad shooting guard, led the charge for Hit Squad and finished the game with 18 points, 12 of which came in the second half.

After trailing by as much as 13 points, the Tuggers managed to get back within five before the half ended. The Tuggers slowed the pace and got much needed relief with three three-pointers off the hot hand of Atonda Livingston.

"He's an outstanding shooter," said teammate Andre Corley who had nine points for the night. "We just kept feeding him the ball."

In the second half, however, Hit Squad picked up the pace again and buried the Tuggers.

Bringley put an exclamation point on the win by dropping a three-pointer four feet off the arc as the horn sounded the end of the game.

Though happy with the win, Cosby wants to step up their game for the upcoming intramural championship tournament.

"If we play like we did tonight, we won't go far," he said. "It was a good win, but we can play better. We just have to think more about what we're doing with the ball."

On the flipside, the Tuggers believe they can turn it around in the playoffs.

"It's going to be a different story. The tables turn real quick when it comes to the tournament," Corely said. "We've got guys who've been there before and know how to handle the pressure."

In other Monday night action, the CSSD-36 Dragons closed down shop for H&HS Admin, sending them to a 69-40 loss. Crash Crew edged out PSD Bushidos 51-50 in the final game of the night.